

Alexander & Baldwin LIMITED.

Sugar Factors
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
and
INSURANCE AGENTS.

AGENTS FOR

Hawaiian Commercial & Sugar Company.
Hauku Sugar Company.
Paia Plantation.
Maui Agricultural Company.
Hawaiian Sugar Company.
Kahuku Plantation Company.
McBryde Sugar Company.
Kahuku Plantation Company.
Kauai Railway Company.
Kauai Electric Company.
Honolulu Ranch.
Hauku Fruit & Packing Company.
Maui Fruit & Land Company.

Almost Every Woman

can save a few dollars out of the household expenses and almost every woman does. Why not deposit this money in a Savings Bank where it will earn interest.

You can open an account with

One Dollar

and if you wish a Home Bank will be given you for the saving of small change.

BANK of HAWAII, Ltd.

Capital and Surplus,
\$1,200,000.



This is the mattress that shows you what's inside.
It is the quality of cotton used and the way they are made that give Stearns & Foster Mattresses their perfect comfort and wonderful life. An exclusive "web process."
Let us show them to you today.
We are sole agents
J. HOPP & COMPANY.

BEFORE

taking a policy of life insurance in any other company ask to see the

CONTRACT

is the
NEW ENGLAND MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF BOSTON, MASS.

and compare the many advantages it offers with those of other companies.

Castle & Cooke, LIMITED
General Agents.

Sun Ching Kwok Co., Ltd.

CHINESE NEWSPAPER
PUBLISHING AND
JOB PRINTING.

No. 49, cor. of Smith and Hotel Sts.

Drink
MAY'S OLD KONA COFFEE.
Best in the Market.
HENRY MAY & CO.
Phone 1271.

T.M.S. Parcel Delivery
Makes special rates for delivering packages.
PHONE 1862.

Y. WO SING CO.
Groceries, Fruits, Vegetables, Etc.
Butter 35c lb.; Fresh Dried Fruits.
1186-1188 Nuuanu Street.
Telephone 1034.



Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a tonic and alterative, free from alcohol. What is a "tonic"? A medicine that imparts strength or tone; a medicine that builds up, gives vigor and power. What is an "alterative"? A medicine that alters or changes unhealthy action to healthy action. Ayer's Sarsaparilla does all this without stimulation. Ask your doctor if a family medicine, like Ayer's Sarsaparilla, is not vastly better without alcohol than with it.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass., U. S. A.

SPRING Millinery Opening

MONDAY, MARCH 11, and following days.

Our new designer, Miss Starkey, will have on display the large stock of

Pattern Hats and Millinery Novelties

which she has just purchased from leading Mainland millinery establishments.

B. F. Ehlers & Co.

Men and Women's Clothes
DRY CLEANED
By Abadie's French Methods.
FRENCH LAUNDRY.
J. Abadie, Prop.
777 King St. Phone 1491

SOLAR HEATER

will save you money. Call and see one in operation.
ACETYLENE LIGHT & AGENCY COMPANY.
Hustace avenue, off South St.

COOK WITH Gas

FIRE INSURANCE

ATLAS ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.
NEW YORK UNDERWRITERS' AGENCY.
PROVIDENCE WASHINGTON INSURANCE COMPANY.

The B. F. Dillingham Company, Ltd.
General Agents for Hawaii.
Fourth Floor, Stangenwald Building.

FRATERNAL MEETINGS.

HONOLULU LODGE NO. 616,
B. P. O. ELKS.
Meets in their hall on King street near Fort, every Friday evening. Visiting Brothers are cordially invited to attend.

PAUL R. ISENBERG, E. R. GEO. T. KLUEGEL, Sec'y.
HONOLULU LODGE, NO. 800,
L. O. O. M.

Will meet in Odd Fellows' Building, Fort street, near King, every Friday evening at 7:30 p. m. Visiting brothers cordially invited to attend.
AMBROSE J. WIRTZ, Dictator.
E. A. JACOBSON, Secretary.

THE WONG WONG CO.

Builders and Contractors
Office, Maunakea St.

Bowers' Merchant Patrol And Confidential Agency
Reliable Watchmen Furnished.
Phone 1651. P. O. Box 284
City Headquarters, Club Stables.

BO WO

Men of the Fleet and Tourists.
The best place in Honolulu to buy Jade and Chinese Jewelry of all kinds.
58 HOTEL AND SMITH STREETS.

Fine Job Printing at the Star office.

INTER-ISLAND

(Continued from page 110.)

week. A dividend of ten per cent was declared, and the last year's officers and directors re-elected. W. P. McDougall president and treasurer. The Kohala Telephone Company declared a six per cent dividend at its annual meeting, March 9. John Hind, president, and the other officers and directors were re-elected. The manager, George P. Tulloch, was given an increase in his salary.

The Kohala Ranch also held its annual meeting, and J. W. Woods was re-elected president, with the same associates in office.

The Seminary concert will be given on April 27, at Social Hall. It is to be a Japanese operetta entitled "Princess Chrysanthemum." About twenty girls will wear Japanese costumes.

Hamakua.

Judge Hall of Honokaa has been in his bed for several days, owing to a very severe cold he contracted some time last week.

Abel Makekau gave a stag party in honor of Messrs. Bohlenberg and Rheinhardt, and fellow workmen of Hilo, who, for more than a month have been working on the Kukuihaele school. The party occurred at the home of Senator Makekau.

Miss Clara Low returned from Honolulu last week, and has many good things to tell about the floral parade.

It was reported that all Kukuihaele's handsome bachelors will give an entertainment in their clubhouse in the near future.

Pauline Hart's residence in Honokaa has been enlarged and repainted, and is quite an attractive bungalow.

Doctors McCoy and Pratt were arrivals, by the Mauna Kea, Wednesday, and are at the Honokaa club house. Thursday was a busy day for the doctors; they rode throughout the plantation inspecting the camps.

Mr. Renfrew has engaged a half dozen men to catch rats. You bet they are trappers—102 caught on Thursday; that's going some.

Several infected rats were found in the Kapulena Jag camp, and the place was fumigated.

South Kona.

The Kamehameha Glee Club gave a rousing program of rare musical selections, in a concert, held in the Hookena schoolhouse, Saturday, March 2. The same aggregation gave another concert in the Kona-waena school, Saturday, March 3.

L. P. Lincoln is again enlarging his coffee establishment, a sign of success. The outlook for the coming year is quite promising.

The schools of South Kona will again compete in a Congress of Song, on March 30. It is rumored that E. Fernandez will be in Hookena during the Congress of Song, and that he will have a film taken of it.

Hawaii Railway's New Management.

Quite a radical change has been effected in the control of our local railway. The local board of directors, consisting of Messrs. Renton, Bond, Watt and Hall has ceased to be, and the control is now centered in the office of Castle & Cooke, Honolulu, who, in acquiring a controlling interest in Kohala plantation last year, gained its controlling interest in the Hawaii Railway.

H. H. Renton is president of the company, and the only local official. The other offices are filled in the firm of Castle & Cooke. R. R. Elgin, of course, continues as general manager.

We understand that a large sum of money is to be expended during the present year, in carrying into effect the improvements in the line that are planned in the survey of Mr. Taylor. While nothing official is given out, we learn that the new line will be much nearer some of the sugar mills, and more convenient to the population belt. It will not always be "out of sight," except at its terminals, as it now is.

Pohakupuka.

The Mauloa tunnel is expected to be open by the end of this month, as both borings have nearly met. The said tunnel will stand as a monument to Pohakupuka. It will also be an attraction to tourists, as it contains, not very far from the mouth on the Hilo side, the "historic stone" from which Pohakupuka has derived its name.

Mrs. Louis Cadinha was among the sick for the week ending March 2. Mrs. Wm. Cullen, after spending some time in Hilo, is glad to be home once more, as "there's no place like home."

The enrollment of the Pohakupuka school has climbed over the 130 mark.

Papaaloa.

At the regular services at the Papaloa Catholic church, the christening of the baby boy of Mr. John V. Marciel, of Laupahoehoe, and the baby girl of Mr. Joao de Silva Passos, took place.

Mr. T. E. M. Osorio, the new judge of the district and Miss Pua, of Hilo, were the sponsors for Mr. Marciel's baby boy, and Mr. Jacinto Marquis and wife, of Hakalau, for Mr. Passos' child.

Mr. J. Thomson, manager of the L.

S. Co.'s store, went to Hilo on the 14th inst. to act as a witness in the case of the Filipino who some time ago robbed the said L. S. Co.'s store. It's a pleasure to see how the young sugar cane planted on the Kibehani lots, is thriving.

Cold Fun for Island Girl.

Miss Alice Bond writes from Oberlin Conservatory:

"We are having warmer weather now and I am glad of it, even though I have enjoyed the winter."

"I think I've had the most fun this winter, coasting. Oberlin is so flat that it's hard to find any place to coast, but there is one little slope down by the arboretum where we go, and that is great fun. I can just imagine the fun, if some of the Kohala hills could be transferred over here."

"I've tried skating twice and intend to really learn how before I go back—that is, if I don't break my neck trying."

"It seems so good to see Mrs. Birdseye and Charles, every now and then. I met them down town the other day and Charles told me the first thing that he was 'going to school now.'"

"Last night we went out for a boated ride, the whole house. We started out at five o'clock and came in at seven o'clock for supper, and we certainly were a hungry crowd."

"Aunt Ruth Hoppin surprised me the other day and it was so good to see her. Miss Fairchild, who taught at Kamehameha last year, lives here in Oberlin and it was good to hear her talk Honolulu with Aunt Ruth."

While Kohala people were comfortable and happy in their homes, an old blind Samoan, Pekelo, was wandering helplessly from road to canefield, and amid labyrinths of cane rows in weakness and starvation and cold, to his death.

The old man, who worked for twenty years on Union Mill plantation, but who, since becoming blind some five or six years ago, has lived in the little house near the corner of the Union Mill and government road, has been under the care of Mrs. McDougall, doing a little weeding, planting a tree or two. The banana trees on the McDougall property are his only monument.

Three weeks ago he is supposed to have left his home to visit some friend. He was missed from the Mormon church at Honokaa, at which he was a regular attendant, and inquiries were made.

Kaili, Club Stable driver, found his trail and followed it up the road to the Homesteads, past the house of Mr. H. C. Davies. Soon after this it wandered into the canefield and was lost. All subsequent efforts to trace Pekelo have failed, and the friends of the old man reluctantly give him up for dead.

There is a deep touch of pathos in the mysterious passing away of the familiar old blind man. Let us hope that his sightless eyes now see the glorious light of a better world.

News of the Islands.

The Kibehani homestead road, near Laupahoehoe, costing \$7000, is now being officially planned. Not one lot is at present vacant.

Senator Makekau, of Honokaa, one of the weightiest politicians on Hawaii, says that the Kuhio-Fear fight is purely personal, and will split the Republican party. He believes in keeping race issues out of politics.

The Maui recently took seventy-five head of cattle from Kawaihae, and the Mauna Loa thirty-three from Kailua.

Chauffeur Joe Martin de Santos, one of the victims of the Waiohinu auto accident, is lying in the Hilo hospital paralyzed from the waist down. He insists that Garden caused the accident.

The Kona Tobacco Co. will plant 100 acres this year. Within a few months it expects to have 200,000 cigars on the market. They are said to smoke satisfactorily.

School Notes.

Paul K. Tallet, formerly teacher at Honoum, but reired since Christmas, has gone to Honolulu to reside.

Mrs. Mesick, late a teacher at Pahala, has been transferred to Papakou.

We offer to any school pupil, in the sixth grade or above, who has never sent news items to the Midget, five cents each for news paragraphs sent, if the event is not more than a week old when sent, and the paragraph is grammatically written, punctuated, capitalized, etc., if we have to rewrite it, we will pay three cents. Here is an opportunity for teachers to train their pupils in writing English and making a little spending money. We should like to encourage the brightest pupils in all the schools of the island to send us news, for cash. Will teachers please let the children know.

Personal Pickups.

Mr. Paetow has been auditing the Hilo books, and has been the guest of the Austins.

John De Mello gave up his position in the Hawaiian Mercantile, and went to Honolulu last Friday.

Dr. Buffet was selling off his furniture last week at the Mersberg house, Kapaa.

The thermometer has been down to fifty-eight degrees above, which is the coldest weather for years. Fifty-six is the record for Kohala. The north wind is bracing, if a little shivery.

Spray your mango trees, if you want any fruit. The blight is spreading fast.

There ought to be a reading and game room and social center, at Kapaa, for young men who have no good place to spend an evening. It has been one of the dreams of the Midget, from the first, to have a neat building there, for its business, with a social center for young men and boys in connection—a bowling alley, billiard table, swimming pool, reading room with piano, and game and club rooms. Why not?

The Island Association of Churches under the Hawaiian Board meets at Hilo this week. Among those who left last night to represent the churches of this locality were: Rev. George L. Kopa and wife, of Iole church; Rev. U. Cho Ping, of Kalo-pihi church; Rev. S. Mamiya, of the Japanese church; Mrs. Smith, president of the Iole C. E. Society; Mrs. Mahelana, delegate; Mrs. Kamauna, president of Honokaa C. E.; Miss Adkinson, delegate; Mrs. Kopa, president of Kapaa C. E.; Mrs. Kahu, delegate; Mrs. C. K. Kunahe, president of Halaula C. E.; Chas. K. Holoka-hiki, delegate; Mr. Koolau, president of Halaula C. E.; Mrs. Monunahina, delegate; Mrs. Williams, president of Makapala C. E.; Mrs. Ignacio, delegate; Mrs. Puua, president of Kaahumanu C. E.; Mrs. Joe Hussey, delegate; Mrs. Kopa, superintendent of S. S.; Mrs. No, delegate.

Dr. A. S. Baker, of Kealahou, Kona, and Mr. Okomoro, the minister of the Japanese church, and other Kona delegates, arrived on Monday by the Kilauea, and took the Mauna Kea for Hilo last night. Dr. Baker was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Austin.

H. C. Davies is busy on the Hawaii ice and soda-water plant, some of the machinery for which has been delayed.

SAVAGES WHO BELIEVE IN THE REINCARNATION

LONDON, March 5.—Word has been received from Prof. Baldwin Spencer of the Australian Anthropological Survey that he has found in the center of that continent a number of tribes that believe in reincarnation. It is further announced that their notions in that respect tally with those of the intellectual native races in India—a belief that has been carried into Western civilization under the name of Theosophy.

Professor Spencer's exploring party, backed by the Australian government, went to Port Darwin, and from there across to Melville Island, then they returned to Port Darwin and traveled south 200 miles, after which they crossed the continent to the Gulf of Carpentaria. Among all the tribes examined by the expedition they found that the belief in reincarnation is universal.

All of those tribes are totem worshippers. In one or two tribes along the Roper River a curious totemic system was discovered. Among these people a man must marry a woman of a particular totem, but the children take a totem different from that of either of the parents. For example, a man of the Rain totem must marry a woman of the paddy-melon kangaroo totem, and their children are of the Eru-Kangaroo totem. Again, a Porcupine man marries a Lizard woman, and their children are Bats.

Everywhere, too, among the tribes visited, the women and children believe that the sound of the bull-roarer is the voice of a great spirit who comes to take away the boys when they are initiated.

Prof. Spencer says he did not find among any of the tribes a trace of anything like a belief in a supreme being. The explorer will remain among the wild aborigines of Melville Island until the last of February.

WARMER AT HALEIWA.

Just now, while all Honolulu is near-freezing in a temperature of 63 degrees, Haleiwa is an asylum for those who do not enjoy the cold snap and rain. The balmy spring weather at this delightful place lures those who can go to its hospitable doors. The bathing at Haleiwa is delightful because of the uncontaminated water and friendly beach. Not a bit of coral is there to cut the feet and the surf is always high enough to make bathing a pleasure. The auto in the rent service has proven a real convenience to those of the guests who wish to tour the neighborhood and explore the country. The barracks at Leihua and the pineapple plantations are among the places of interest easily reached. Trains on the O. R. & L. road go to the lawn. For reservations address the management, Haleiwa postoffice.

BEST LIMENT.

For cuts and bruises, there is nothing equal to Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It not only relieves the pain almost instantly, but it is an antiseptic liniment and when applied promptly causes the wound to heal without any danger of blood poisoning. You can not afford to be without it in your home. For sale by all dealers. Benson, Smith & Co., agents for Hawaii.

If you save green stamps you can furnish your house free. Call at the show room, Fort and Beretania St.

The Housewife's Health Is Precious

The happiness of the whole family depends greatly on the health and strength of the housewife. If she is weak and worn out, fretful and nervous she cannot be the wise and patient adviser of her children, the congenial companion of her husband, the calm mistress of her many trying household duties that she was when in perfect health.

For such women nothing equals

Stearns' Wine of Cod Liver Extract

the peerless tonic and appetizer which is so pleasant to the taste that it agrees with the most delicate stomach, yet is certain in its strength-renewing and body building effects. It has not even the faintest taste of cod liver oil, and millions of people in all parts of the world unite in praising its value as a restorer of health and vigor. Get it at your druggists and be sure you get STEARNS'—the genuine.

Cosmopolitan Well Drilling Co

P. M. POND, President.

COMPLETE EQUIPMENT FOR ARTESIAN WELL DRILLING.
ESTIMATES FURNISHED.

Telephone 2890.

Telephone 2890

Firewood and Coal

Best Grades Always On Hand

Concrete Brick, Crushed
Rock and Sand

Hustace-Peck Co. LTD.

Phone 2295

63 Queen Street

GRASS RUGS

FIGURED TO MATCH IN TWO-TONED

Sizes 18x36, 21x45, 27x54, 30x60, 36x72 54x90, 60x90, 8x10, 9x12.
Colors, Green, Red, Blue and Brown.

COYNE FURNITURE CO., Ltd.

BISHOP ST.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

We will prepare (embalmed) bodies for shipment to any part of the United States and Maui, Hawaii and Kauai for less than one-half the price asked by any of the local undertakers. We have had the United States army contract over five years and are still holding the same today.

If you want good work done economically, give us a call.

M. E. SILVA'S UNDERTAKING ESTABLISHMENT.

JACOB ORDENSTINE,

Undertaker and Embalmer, also Business Manager.

Great Club Offers

Hawaiian Star + Garden Island

The Garden Island, the bright, newsy paper of the island of Kauai, has been doubled in size and is now a more desirable publication in every respect than ever.

The Hawaiian Star (daily) is \$5.00 and Garden Island \$2.50. We offer both, one year, for \$9.00; six months, \$4.50. Or, Semi-Weekly Star (\$2.00) and Garden Island (\$2.50) will be sent to any address for \$3.95.

Address: Hawaiian Star, Honolulu.

PAN-PACIFIC CONGRESS.

San Francisco Bulletin, March 5.—H. R. Judah, assistant passenger agent of the Southern Pacific Company, who went to Honolulu two weeks ago in relation to plans for the Panama-Pacific Congress, returned this morning on the steamer Sierra with the comforting news that the congress, which was to have been held in Hawaii, has been transferred to this city.

It will be held here in 1913, according to Judah, at which time plans

will be consummated for the Hawaiian exhibits at the great exposition. Judah reports that great enthusiasm over the fair project was manifested at Honolulu during his stay and that the congress itself will attract many delegates.

VENERABLE.

Mrs. Fluddub—Why shouldn't women serve on juries?
Mr. Fluddub—I suppose the courts are afraid a husband and wife might be drawn on the same jury.—Puck.